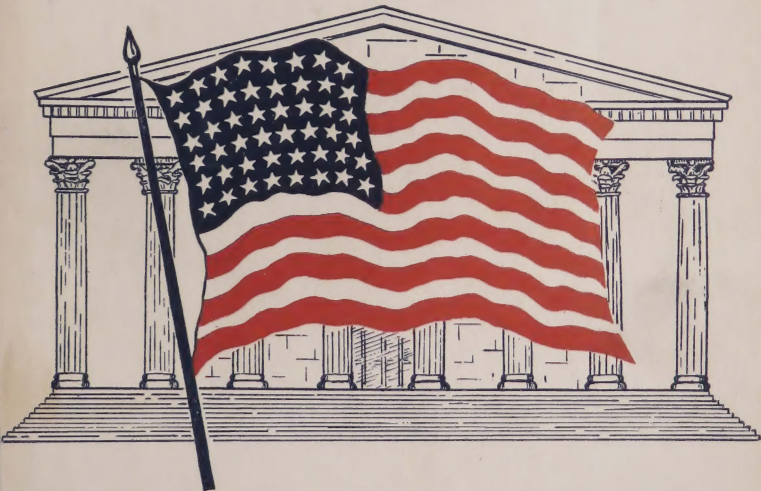


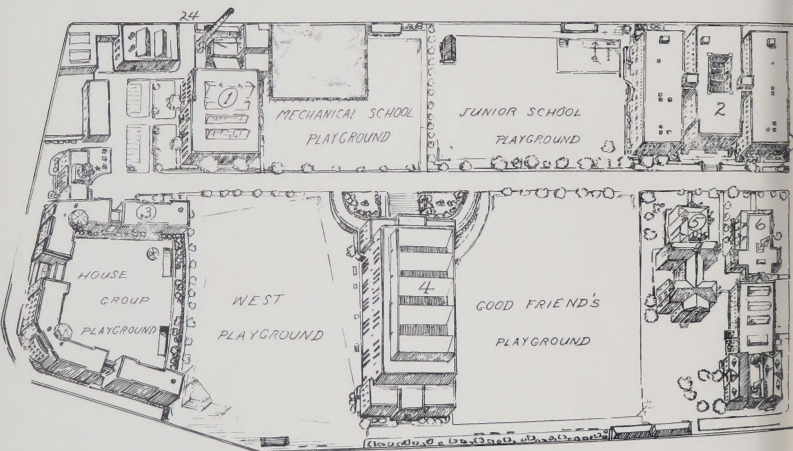
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GIRARD COLLEGE
CLASS OF JUNE 1945

Map of Girard College

West End and Central



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| 1. Mechanical School and Surroundings | 5. Good Friends |
| 2. Junior School | 6. Lafayette |
| 3. House Group | 24. Service Entrance |
| 4. Armory | |

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... every young man that goes from Girard College is a potential Stephen Girard with the additional advantage of a sound education and a sound body.—Honorable David Reed.

JUNE 1945

*Girard! thy mystic spirit calls
To happy youth in college halls,
And like a silent blessing falls
To hallow evermore.*

*From out the old familiar tower,
High in the ivy covered tower,
The chapel chimes peal forth the hour
As in the days of yore.*

*Sweet memories of bygone days!
Let all in song their voices raise;
O dear Girard we sing thy praise
With reverence and love.*

*Our grateful thanks we give to thee
For childhood's opportunity
To love and learn.
O may there be rich blessings from above.*

*Keep us, with all our hopes and fears,
Fill us with faith that lifts and cheers,
Lead and direct us through the years—
Be thou our guide and guard.*

*Teach us, we pray, the things to do
That make for manhood strong and true;
Strengthen our hearts, our love renew;
God bless our dear Girard.*

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[Mrs. Henriette K. Wallace

On Behalf of the Class of June 1945

We, the Editors of

The Corinthian

affectionately dedicate this Record

to

Mrs. Henriette K. Wallace

Dental Clinic Staff

Her continual and deep interest in our class has created among us a warm affection. We will forever cherish her welcome smile and motherly advice. This honor that we have given to one whom we all love represents our deepest appreciation of her interest and guidance.



APPRECIATION OF THE FACULTY

We shall not realize the value of your guidance in our social, moral, and educational lives until we become fully absorbed in our future activities and become cogs in the complex machine of this great nation. But we do know that you who have acted as beacons in guiding us in whatever tasks we undertook, are sincerely appreciated for your common interest in our class. We shall always cherish the memory of all of you. Our grateful thanks for teaching us the things that make for strong and true manhood.

The Principal's Letter

TO THE GRADUATING CLASS OF JUNE, 1945:



SO another class is about ready to leave Girard! How the terms do slip by! It seems but yesterday that we gave a little party on the second floor of Founder's Hall to welcome you to the High School, and now you have completed the high school years.

Well, young men, we are going to miss you very much—you have shown qualities of leadership, of character, of social grace, of willingness to serve far beyond the average group of boys. For this reason, then, we are going to expect much from you in the years to come. As a class you

are endowed with fine mental ability. More of you are eligible for the Post High School group than any other class in many a year. We expect a goodly proportion of you to go on to college later, to enter the professions and to do high honor to yourselves and to us in your chosen work.

You have shown a fine capacity for leadership. All our organizations have profited by your membership and service. It is this sort of leadership that is so much needed everywhere, and in the years to come we hope to find you taking a prominent part in the social and political life of the communities in which you live. Most of you men have shown a great respect for yourselves, your associates, and your superiors. This is a splendid omen for the high regard in which you will be held in your home communities, in your professions, yes—in your own families. People will believe in you, trust you, and will love you.

You won't disappoint us, will you? Before you leave the College I wish each one of you would sit down and list the things he thinks Girard College has done to help him win a place for himself in the years ahead. Then I wish he would make a list of the things he has done to serve the college and to make it a better place in which boys may be reared. There is still another list to be filled in. Divide it into two parts. In the first part jot down those things you might have done to serve the college better, and in the second part list those things you have done—particularly in your last two years here—that have not been to your credit or to the advantage of the school.

Why do I suggest that you do all this? So that you may use it as a guide in determining your interests, your activities, your actions in the days ahead.

You are going to miss Girard, especially so since you gave so much to it while here. Girard for a time will seem empty without your helpful leadership and your gracious friendliness. But other classes will come on, younger boys will take your places and build on what you have done, and Girard will grow in its usefulness to fatherless boys.

You will outgrow the limitations of a mile-long wall around you. You will achieve success in a world limited only by your ability, your determination, your courage.

When the 20th of May comes around each year, don't forget your old home; come back to renew old acquaintances, and breathe a nostalgic sigh of thankfulness to Girard College for many, many lessons that have helped you in your daily living.

Faithfully and sincerely yours,

D. MONTFORT MELCHIOR.

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AIRPLANE VIEW





Just a Word

to

Miss Louise Sigmund

Mrs. Genevieve Garretson

Miss Elizabeth Frazier

Mr. James Baker

and

Mr. Caswell E. MacGregor

whose kindness and prudence

as our hostesses and hosts

have so well guided us in our

social life at Girard



*"My deeds must be my life. When I am dead my
actions must speak for me."*

To Our Benefactor

Dear Stephen Girard:

Today we become a part of tradition; we leave your school, Girard College. We are equipped with a unique training which should enable us to meet with grim determination the vicissitudes of life in this embroiled world.

Your greatness of soul and vision, a century advanced in time, resulted in the birth of a new hope. It has given the world young men who will strive to emulate your wisdom as a humanitarian, your generosity as a philanthropist, and above all your love as a sincere father.

With the commencement of a new life must come the departure from the old. It is now our wish to express the thanks that has been lodged in our sorrowing hearts either in tears of love or by words deeply rooted in our grateful souls.

For ten years we have dwelt in the presence of kindness, truth, tolerance, devotion to duty, appreciation, justice, honor, and, most of all, friends. We have absorbed the instruction and advice given us, we have appreciated the interest taken in us, and the devotion shown us. But what can we say, what can we do, to express fully the depth and sincerity of our gratitude?

As we enter a new life, fifty-nine among thousands who have departed previously in a similar manner, we recall the faltering, clumsy, inexperienced youths we were while passing through the portals of Girard College ten years ago. In a few hours we shall depart, men of a great Alma Mater. We embark on the journey of life as good citizens well educated in the virtues of life, schooled to face the perplexing problems that will feel the force of our excellent training, and brought up to resist the forces of temptation. We know now what course to steer. Much of that uncertainty that leads to bondage is gone. We have a new idea of personal freedom, independence, and initiative, thanks to our able guides.

We, the Class of June 1945, leave with reluctance the home and school where we have lived for ten glorious years as brothers. We have learned many things at Girard, but we have acquired far more than a superior schooling; we have found what many men seek. At Girard we lived as brothers, regardless of our European extraction. Here there is no discrimination. Each day unconsciously meant the strengthening of old friendships and the beginning of new ones. We lived in each other's joys, accomplishments, and successes, and shared together the cutting pangs of one another's misfortunes. Yes, when we depart for the last time, we shall not only be leaving a school but a home as well; we shall be leaving a true family, the family of Girard.

In selecting our words of departure, the Class of June 1945 recalls a statement made by the great Confucius, "Flowers leave the better part of their fragrance in the hand that bestows them." Today, as we bid our final adieu, we feel that the richer part of our fragrance, our accomplishments, and our joys, remain with Stephen Girard.

With sincerity,

The Class of June, 1945

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CLASS ADMINISTRATION

J-1

Alfonso Brino

Donald Panaro

Alfred Dieterle

Robert Jones

President

Vice-President

Secretary

Treasurer

J-2

Ralph Siano

Paul Ryder

Robert Jones

Thomas Howell

S-1

Joseph Marchese

Alfonso Brino

Robert Jones

Warren Pellicciotti

President

Vice-President

Secretary

Treasurer

S-2

Ralph Siano

Joseph Marchese

Robert Jones

Donald Panaro

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

President

Vice-President

Secretary

Thomas Howell

Alfred Dieterle

Donald Panaro

STUDENT COUNCIL

President

Treasurer

Harvey Selwitz

Paul Ryder

ATHLETIC COUNCIL

Harris Newman

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

Alfred Dieterle



*There is no death! The stars go down
To rise upon some other shore,
And bright in heaven's jewelled crown
They shine forever more.*

*There is no death! The leaves may fall,
And flowers may fade and pass away—
They only wait, through wintry hours,
The warm, sweet breath of May.*

*They are not dead! They have just passed
Beyond the mists that blind us here
Into the new and larger life
Of that serener sphere.*

*And ever near us, though unseen
The dear, immortal spirits tread—
For all the boundless universe
Is life—there are no dead!*

From THERE IS NO DEATH—J. L. McCreery

Who' Who in June 1945?

<i>Most popular</i>	Frotz Brino
<i>Most friendly</i>	Frotz Brino
<i>Will be married first</i>	"Dip" DiPasquale
<i>Best athlete</i>	George Gillen
<i>Wittiest</i>	"Reds" Selwitz
<i>Best looking</i>	Al Murdock
<i>Most typical hummer</i>	Frotz Brino
<i>Best politician</i>	Al Dieterle
<i>Best dancer</i>	"Pell" Pellicciotti
<i>Most talkative</i>	Hubie Gilmore
<i>Best line</i>	"Dip" DiPasquale
<i>Best musician</i>	"Rich" Ricci
<i>Most studios</i>	Jack Harris
<i>Happiest</i>	Herk Burke
<i>Quietest</i>	Tom Simpson
<i>Best dresser</i>	Sid Salkind
<i>Most likely to succeed</i>	The Class
<i>Sleepiest</i>	"Moe" Green
<i>Most bashful</i>	"Chuck" Howell
<i>Tallest</i>	Ed Erikis
<i>Shortest</i>	Har Boden
<i>Heaviest</i>	George Gillen
<i>Biggest smile</i>	Al Dieterle

Favorite Sayings

Hungry boy!
 There's no magic to it.
 Let's go here.
 You're dead right!
 Accuracy before speed.
 An "A" for the man who knows.
 This is off the record.
 I had a friend.
 I'm not arguing with you buddy. . . I'm telling you.
 Someone broke this instrument.
 Come on, Professor!
 Sit down before I knock you down.
 One third of the class is flunking.
 I'll take that ball.
 You've got to know how to buy.
 Lawrenceville is one of the best prep schools.
 Don't make no difference. Yup-yup-yup!
 A 1 to 10, B 1 to 10.
 Heads high, back straight! Let's make a good impression.



SUNRISE ON FOUNDER'S HALL

The Class of June 1945



RALPH GENEROSA SIANO (Count)

Course: Regular and Machine Shop

Honors: Dramatic Club, J-1 to S-2; Casts: In the Zone, Three Marines on Guadalcanal, A Night at an Inn; Radio Broadcast: Science is Fun; Glee Club, J-2 to S-2; President of Glee Club, S-2; Captain of Junior Band, 1-2; Band 7A to J-2; American Legion Award, 1-1; Lieutenant in Battalion, S-2; Second Prize, Single Competitive Drill, '44; Conference Committee, J-1 and S-1; President of Class, J-2, S-2; Student Leader of Harmony Club; Activities Night, '43, '44; Civic Forum League of Temple University; Broadcasts: Three Marines on Guadalcanal; Cultural Olympics, In the Zone; Soccer, '44; CORINTHIAN staff; Commander of Firing Squad, '45.

In "Count" we had a leader, an athlete, an actor, a singer, and a swell pal. His ability to get things done quickly and efficiently led us to choose him President in S-2, a position which he filled capably. Don't forget us "Count"! We'll surely never forget you.

Dear Classmates,

After ten seemingly long years of waiting, the gates finally open for us in farewell. We have anticipated graduation for some time, but now that it is here we are nervous and puzzled for we know not what the future has in store for us. Yet if we put to work the principles that have been inculcated by our teachers here at Girard, we need not fear the future for we can be certain it will be a success. And, knowing you as I do, I have no doubt that you will all strive hard for that success.

Upon leaving the College, we will turn in many different ways with the sad thought of parting from our classmates whom we have learned to love as brothers while living together these past ten joyous years. Although some of us may not see each other for some time we will not forget the kind and happy faces that have made our lives here so pleasant. So when the parting time comes, it will only be more than natural that we may shed tears; for that is the true sign of brotherhood.

Words were not made to convey the feeling I have for each one of you and for Girard. In bidding you farewell, I not only want to wish you the best of everything that may come your way, but I hope that in your work you will put your trust in God so that He may send down a light that will not only do you honor, but Girard also.

So nigh is gentrude to the dust,

So near is God to Man,

When Duty whispers low, "Thou must!"

The youth replies, "I can."

Sincerely,

RAFFAELE SIANO

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JOSEPH NICHOLAS MARCHESE (Mark)

VICE-PRESIDENT

Course: Regular and Machine Shop

Honors: Band 7A to J-2; Glee Club, S-1 to S-2; Harmony Club; Sergeant Quartermaster in Color Guard, S-2; Swimming, '43; Baseball, '44, '45; Soccer, '44; Basketball, '44; President of Class, S-1; Vice-President; Athletic Council, S-1; Co-Captain of Baseball Team, '45.

"Mark" is the type of fellow who is indispensable. As an athlete he is "top"; as a leader he is unsurpassable; and as a regular fellow we love him. He can be serious or jovial; follow or lead; these make him one of the class' most versatile members.



ROBERT CHARLES JONES (Casey)

SECRETARY



Course: Regular and Accounting

Honors: Treasurer of Class, J-1; Secretary of Class, J-2 to S-2; National Honor Society, J-2 to S-2; Glee Club, J-2 to S-2; Harmony Club; Foreign Policy Association; Civic Forum League; Student Participation Committee, 2-2 to J-2; Girard Magazine, S-1 to S-2; Co-Editor, Girard Magazine, S-2; Girard News, J-2 to S-2; Sports Editor, S-1 to S-2; CORINTHIAN Staff; Star Scout; Activities Night, '44; Broadcast, WCAU American School of the Air.

"Casey" certainly wasn't behind the door when brains were distributed. Besides being an academic "whiz," he excelled as an executive, fine writer, and as a four star wolf. Certainly one of our more prominent members, "Casey" will be missed by all. Nothing but success can come his way.

DONALD FRANCIS A. PANARO (Don)

TREASURER

Honors: L'Alliance Francais Prize, 2-2; First Prize, Penmanship, 2-2; Student Participation Committee, J-1 to J-2; Glee Club, J-2 to S-2; National Honor Society, J-2 to S-2; Secretary, National Honor Society, J-2 to S-2; Vice-President of Class, J-1; Treasurer, S-2; Girard Magazine, S-1 to S-2; Co-Sports Editor, Girard News; Harmony Club; Conference Committee, S-1; Echelon Platoon, '44; Bronze Typing Medal; Editor-in-Chief, CORINTHIAN.

Here is another of June 45's most prominent members. Under Don's capable direction the CORINTHIAN was born; the best yet. Don was also prominent in other activities besides being one of the class' most brilliant scholars. Our sincerest wishes for a happy life; he surely deserves it.



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ANDREW JAMES ARNOLD (Andy)

Course: Regular and Stenography

Honors: Co-Editor, Girard Magazine, '45; Activities Night, '44; Cast, Christmas Carol, '44; Lieutenant, Battalion; Orchestra, 1-1 to 2-1.

Andy's ability to work hard is a trait he'll never regret having. What he doesn't know about medicine you can write on a postage stamp. Here's hoping we'll hear of Dr. Andrew Arnold in years to come.



DONALD DOUGLASS BAKER (Doug)

Course: Regular and Accounting

Honors: Band, 7A to S-2; Glee Club, J-2 to S-2; Harmony Club, S-1 to S-2; Orchestra, S-1 to S-2; Sergeant in Band, S-2.

Doug will always be remembered for the conscientious effort he made in the interests of our class. A hard worker, Don will go far in life in whatever he chooses to follow. Good luck to you, Doug!

SAMUEL BENOFF (Sam)

Course: Regular and Mechanical Drawing

Honors: First Sergeant in Battalion, S-2; Orchestra, 1-1; Echelon Platoon, '43.

In Sam we have June '45's prize wolf. His "smooth" line and good looks enabled him to make many a fair maiden swoon. We feel sure Sam will profit by his good nature and appealing personality.



HAROLD ANSON BODEN (Har)

Course: Regular and Stenography

Honors: Orchestra, 1-1 to S-2; Lieutenant in Orchestra, S-2; Dramatic Club, J-1 to S-1; Casts: Three Marines on Guadalcanal, At the Mule; Girard Magazine, S-1 to S-2; Glee Club, J-2 to S-2; Librarian in Orchestra, S-1.

"All good things come in small packages." Our "Har" is certainly a prize package. His ability to memorize things quickly hasn't made him a slouch academically. What he lacks in stature he makes up in brains. Our best to you, "Har."



WILLIAM CHARLES BOFINGER (Bill)

Course: Regular and Printing

Honors: Basketball, '43, '44; Track, '44, '45; Soccer, '45; National Honor Society, S-1 to S-2; Lieutenant in Battalion, S-2; Color Sergeant, J-2 to S-1; Jesse B. Manbeck Prize, S-1; Captain of Track Team, '45.

Bill is one of our versatile members. When he wasn't registering top-notch grades in school or running off some important work in the print shop, he was making a name for Girard on the athletic field. As a lieutenant in the "batty," Bill showed his capability as a leader. Good luck to a great fellow.



ALFONSO ANTHONY BRINO (Frotz)

Course: General and Sheet Metal

Honors: President of Class, J-1; Basketball, Soccer, Athletic Council, S-1; Sportsmanship Award, J-1; Baseball, '44.

Quiet and modest best describe Al. A potential leader in everything he undertook, Al stayed in the limelight a great deal of the time because of his modesty. His influence has many times helped our class where the going was tough. Good luck to you, Al; we'll always remember you.



ROBERT BURKE (Herk)

Course: Regular and Stenography

Honors: Band, 2-2 to S-2; Lieutenant in Band, S-2; Orchestra, S-2; Glee Club, S-1 to S-2; Athletic Council, S-1; Lieutenant in Band, S-2.

"Smile and the world smiles with you;" that's our "Herk." "Herk" always greets you pleasantly, and immediately you sense his warm, friendly nature. When he wasn't winning friends with his smile, he was busy taking an active hand in athletics. May you meet nothing but success, "Herk."



WILLIAM GEORGE CHAMBERS (Chick)

Course: General and Auto Shop

Honors: Manager of Track Team, S-2; Sergeant in Battalion "Chick's" smile and friendly manner are an asset. Although his jokes weren't up to Bob Hope's, we always got a kick out of them. An ace auto mechanic, too. May the world do as much for him as he did for us.





NORMAN ROY CONNELL (Norm)

Course: Regular and Mechanical Drawing

Honors: Band 7A to S-2; Glee Club J-2 to S-2; Senior Life Saving Certificate; Lieutenant in Band, S-2; Harmony Club; Activities Night, '44; Swimming; Orchestra, J-2 to S-2; National Honor Society, S-2.

Norm believed in efficiency and he went the limit to obtain it. His conscientious work always distinguished him in whatever field he chose to venture. A musician as well as a good swimmer, Norm's activities were of a large variety.



WALTER HAMM DEYHLE (Hamm)

Course: Regular and Stenography

Honors: Activities Night, '44; Sergeant in Battalion, S-2; Glee Club, J-2 to S-1; Dramatic Club, J-2 to S-2; Special Effects, Dramatic Club; Contributing Editor, Girard Magazine.

Walt was an artist in his own way. Always interested, and smiling, his nature pleased everybody. Here's hoping the world will appreciate you as we have.

ALFRED WILLIAM DIETERLE (Al)

Course: Regular and Stenography

Honors: Captain in Battalion, J-2, S-1; Captain Adjutant, S-2; Conference Committee, J-2, S-2; Student Council, J-1, J-2; National Honor Society, S-1 to S-2; Vice President of National Honor Society, S-2; Secretary of class, J-1; Dramatic Club, J-1 to S-2; Secretary of Dramatic Club, S-1; Vice-President, Dramatic Club, S-2; Casts: Little Father of the Wilderness, A Christmas Carol, Drums of Oude, Three Marines on Guadalcanal; WFL Broadcast, Three Marines on Guadalcanal; Science is Fun; Foreign Policy Association; Silver Medal, Competitive Drill, '45; Track, '43, '44.

Al is a fellow whom you just can't help liking. When he turns that smile on you, you just melt. His circle of interest covers everything from the "batty" to the Dramatic Club. Noted for his "corny" jokes, Al was always in the center of the fun.

ANGELO DIMONDO (Ang)

Course: Regular and Clerical

Honors: Sergeant in Battalion, S-2.

"Ang" will always be remembered for his hearty laugh. He can laugh almost any time and has others laughing with him. On the other hand, "Ang" can be serious also, proved by the conscientious effort he makes in his studies. Here's hoping you reach the top, "Ang."



JOSEPH DI PASQUALE (Dip)

Course: General and Printing

Honors: Glee Club, J-2 to S-2; Sergeant in Battalion, S-2; Junior Life Saving Certificate; Harmony Club.

A "super-wolf," "Dip" lost no time in acquainting himself with the fairer sex. We feel sure that the girl who marries "Dip" will certainly be lucky. Liked by all, he will never be forgotten by his classmates. Success should be his.



PAUL DI NAPOLI (Paul)

Course: General and Foundry

Honors: Band, 2-2 to S-1; Orchestra, S-1.

Paul, an accomplished trombonist, was always ready to lend a helping hand. Very considerate, he did much for everyone. Who will ever forget the cheers he led with that sliphorn? Dorsey, beware, our Paul is on his way up.



EDWARD BRUNO EIRIKIS (Ed)

Course: Regular and Mechanical Drawing

Honors: Baseball, '43 '44, '45; Captain of Baseball Team, '45; Soccer, '44; Guidon in Battalion, J-1 to S-2; Captain of Baseball Team, '45.

Here is a fellow who will never be forgotten. A fine athlete, Ed's ability as a goal-tender is hard to surpass. Besides that, he is a fellow we were glad to know. A true friend, we'll miss him immensely.



EUGENE JULIUS FRANCIOSA (Gene)

Course: Regular and Foundry

Honors: Dramatic Club, J-1 to J-2; Casts; Three Marines on Guadalcanal, Little Father of the Wilderness.

Gene was by far one of the class' wittiest members. Being able to say the right thing at the right time gave him this distinction. Quite handy with a pool stick, Gene is one of June 45's sharks. Farewell to a great fellow and a swell friend.



ERNEST JAMES FRANKLIN (Ernie)

Course: General and Foundry

Honors: Sergeant in Battalion, S-2; Dramatic Club, S-2; Student Council, 2-1; Art Club.

Ernie has a flawless personality. Bashful, yes, but a real friend. Many times has his contagious laugh echoed through the hall and set others going. Here's to you, Ernie!!



RAYMOND FRANTZ (Ray)

Course: Regular and Auto Shop

Honors: Echelon Platoon; Glee Club, J-2 to S-2.

Ray was another fellow who helped the class when we needed him. This placed him high in our esteem. Girls weren't exactly "taboo" in his life either.

JOSEPH GERRITY (Joe)

Course: General and Printing

Honors: Echelon Platoon, '43, '44; Lieutenant in Battalion, S-1 to S-2; Star Scout.

Joe had an eye for quality. This was confirmed by the many girls he courted. As a lieutenant in the battalion Joe was a real leader. A great "guy" who will be sorely missed by all.



GEORGE MURRAY GILLEN (George)

Course: Regular and Machine Shop

Honors: Glee Club, S-2; Baseball, '43, '44, '45; Soccer, '43, '44; Basketball, '43, '44, '45; Color Guard, 2-2 to S-2; Harmony Club; Co-Captain, Soccer, '44.

Athletics was Georgie's dish, and he couldn't get enough of it. His prowess made him our best athlete, a title which he certainly deserved. His interests didn't lie only in the world of sports, as a certain girl will confirm. We're sure to hear from George in the years to come. Good luck!



HUBERT THOMAS GILMORE (Hubie)

Course: Regular and Stenography

Honors: Band, 1-1 to 2-2; Drum Major of Junior Band, 2-1 to 2-2; Drum Major of Senior Band, 2-2 to S-2; Secretary of Dramatic Club, S-2; Casts: Rising of the Moon, Little Father of the Wilderness, The Lion's Whelp. Basketball, '45.

"Hubie," Swoyerville's gift to Girard, had a contagious personality. People just naturally liked him because of his extremely friendly manner and winning smile. A Casanova, the girls took to him as we did. He'll be missed by 59 strong.



GEORGE WILLIAM GREEN (Moe)

Course: Regular and Stenography

Honors: Girard News, Assistant News Editor, J-1 to J-2, Main Real Talk; Girard Magazine Staff, J-1 to J-2; Fencing, J-1 to S-2; Second Prize, Essay, How to Help the War Effort; Contributor, Brothers of Girard.

"Moe's" natural flare for writing did much in promoting him in the field of English composition. Whether his works were in the local newspapers, the News, or the Magazine, they were always read with a great deal of interest.



JOHN ANTHONY C. HARRIS (Jack)

Course: Regular and Electricity

Honors: Swimming, '44, '45; Senior Life Saving Certificate. National Honor Society, J-2 to S-2; Lieutenant in Battalion, S-2 CORINTHIAN Staff; Girard News Staff, S-1 to S-2; Echelon Platoon, '43; Radio Broadcasts: Junior Town Meeting of the Air, American School of the Air; Firing Squad, '45; Activities Night, '44; Youth Civic Council, S-2.

In Jack we have our most studious member. How well he deserves the honor we all know. Active in the "batty," as a writer, and as a Casanova of no conservative style, we'll always remember him as a swell guy bound to great success.



JOHN HAVRISIK (Chick)

Course: Regular and Mechanical Drawing

Honors: First Sergeant in Battalion, S-2; Soccer Squad, '43, '44; Baseball, '44, '45.

Talk about your Di Vincis and others, but we'll take our "Chick" any day! His ability with the pen or some other implement of art was displayed more than once while he came up through the years. An athlete as well as an artist, he's a great friend and one of our most valuable members.



GEORGE WARREN HEINEMAN (George)

Course: General and Sheet Metal

Honors: Track, '44, '45; Basketball Referee, S-1; Captain in Battalion, S-2; Echelon Platoon; Dramatic Club, S-1; Student Council, J-1.

George, a happy fellow, is a great friend of the class. Although they seemed insignificant, the times he helped make some class affair a success were many. He also did a fine job captaining Co. A through a successful term. Many thanks and best wishes!



GLEN HENRY HIPPLE (Glen)

Course: Regular and Stenography

Honors: Band 7A to S-1; Orchestra, S-1; Glee Club, S-1 to S-2; Bronze Typing Award, S-1; Contributor to Brothers of Girard, J-1; Corinthian Staff, S-2.

Glen's flare for writing means eventual fame. Not only can he write, but he is also a talented musician. On top of all these accomplishments, Glen is a great friend. To a swell fellow we reluctantly bid farewell.

THOMAS JOSEPH HOWELL (Chuck)

Course: Regular and Accounting

Honors: National Honor Society, J-2 to S-2; President of National Honor Society, S-2; Girard News, 2-2 to S-2; Sports Editor, Editor-in-Chief, S-1 to S-2; CORINTHIAN Staff, S-2; First Prize, Music Essay, J-2; Student council, J-1; Treasurer of Class, J-2; Business Writing Certificate, J-1; President of Philadelphia Chapter of the National Honor Society.

Tom is undoubtedly one of our most prominent members. Whether busy with the News or the National Honor Society, he could always find time to give his utmost for the class. A prize scholar and a fine leader, with athletic ability not fully developed, best describes Tom.

KENNETH RICHARD IRVING (Ken)

Course: General and Electricity

Honors: Dramatic Club; Sergeant in Battalion.

Quiet, yes, but wise also is Ken. His flare for the great out-of-doors created experiences many and interesting. Ken is the type of fellow you may count on as a loyal friend, no matter what the issue may be.



SIDNEY KATZMAN (Sid)

Course: General and Machine Shop

Honors: Dramatic Club; Casts: Prologue to Glory, At the Mule, In the Zone, The Story of Electricity, Three Marines on Guadalcanal, A Christmas Carol, 'Op o' Me Thumb; President of Dramatic Club, S-2; Vice President, J-1 to S-1; Student Council, J-1, S-2; Track '43, '44. Sergeant in Battalion; Cheer Leader; '44, '45; CORINTHIAN Staff.

Words to describe the kind of a fellow Sid is are rare. A real friend, he commanded our respect by proving that no work could floor him. Many were the laughs Sid evoked from audiences who were lucky enough to see him perform in various plays. To a most likeable classmate go our best wishes for success.



DONALD GUSTAVE KOZAIN (Kozy)

Course: Regular and Accounting

Honors: Junior Life Saving Certificate; Senior Life Saving Certificate; Supply Sergeant in Battalion, S-2; Echelon Platoon, '43; Swimming '44, '45; Lieutenant in Battalion, S-2.

Don is an earnest fellow who takes seriously the tasks put before him. Another swimmer, he distinguished himself as one of the "chlorine kids." Don has a partiality for the Marines, who are lucky in the fact that he will soon be one of them.



JOHN JOSEPH KRICHER (John)

Course: General and Carpentry

Honors: Girard Magazine, J-1 to S-2; Echelon Platoon, '45.

Say something favorable about the Navy and Johnny will give you his ear-to-ear smile. Smiles made him the likeable fellow he is. Friendly and a hard worker, Johnny deserves everything that he gets.



DONALD C. KUHN (Fritz)

Course: Regular and Auto Shop

Honors: Glee Club, S-1 to S-2; Orchestra, 1-1 to S-1; Sergeant in Orchestra, J-2 to S-2; Echelon Platoon, '45.

"Fritz" is always doing something. Because of his happy nature he is liked by everybody. Allen Hall may be a little quieter now, but we'll never forget him and the good times we had.





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JOHN KULICK (Johnny)

Course: General and Carpentry

Honors: Lieutenant in Company C, S-2; Echelon Platoon, '44; First Prize, Single Competitive Drill, '44; Manager of Baseball Team, '44; Activities Night, The Story of Electricity; Star Scout.

Johnny with his captivating smile is everybody's friend. His sense of humor is appreciated when things are at a low ebb. Hardly a day went by in Allen when he didn't do something for somebody else. We'll always remember his pleasing personality.



GEORGE J. LISOWSKI (Liz)

Course: Regular and Printing

Honors: Captain in Battalion, S-2; Activities Night, '44; Dramatic Club; Firing Squad, '44, '45.

George was indeed a real friend of everyone including the fairer sex. Always ready with a witty remark or a friendly smile, "Liz" was a superb classmate. Life would have been very dull without him and his knack of creating a joyful atmosphere.

CHARLES PATRICK McGINTY (Pat)

Course: Regular and Accounting

Honors: Glee Club, J-2 to S-2; Dramatic Club, J-1 to J-2; Cast: Three Marines on Guadalcanal; Echelon Platoon, '43, '44; Lieutenant in Battalion, S-2; Firing Squad, '45; Assistant News Editor, Girard News, S-1 to S-2; Harmony Club; Activities Night, '44; Girard Magazine, S-1 to S-2.

Pat, besides being the youngest member of the class, was one of the best liked. He took an active hand in many activities and always did his work well. The "batty," the News, and the Glee Club all felt his cooperation.



WILLIAM J. McKNIFF (Bill)

Course: Regular and Stenography

Honors: Band, 1-1 to 2-1; Gym, '43, '44, '45.

Small but dynamic, his performances on the bars or rings will be long remembered. A good looker with a swell personality, Bill is going to make some girl a swell husband. May the world be as good to him as he has been to us.



ROBERT JAMES McMULLIN (Mac)

Course: General and Carpentry

Honors: Sergeant in Battalion; Echelon Platoon, '45; Dramatic Club, S-2.

To "Mac" life is just a bowl of cherries. Always good for a laugh, he was often in the center of the activity. Indispensable as a great friend, he will be missed by everyone who knew him.



DENNIS MICHAEL MERGO (Den)

Course: Regular and Auto Shop

Honors: Baseball, '44, '45; Echelon Platoon, '44; Sergeant in Battalion, 2-2 to S-1; First Sergeant, S-2; National Honor Society, S-2.

"Mouse" is a quiet fellow, yet always appreciated. Often his clear thinking supplied the solution to our problem. Everyone's friend, "Denny" is going to be missed a great deal. We all hope that life offers him only the best.



WILBUR ALLEN MURDOCK (Al)

Course: General and Mechanical Drawing

Honors: Single Competitive Drill, First Prize, '43; Student Council, J-2; Captain in Battalion, S-2; Soccer, '44; Echelon Platoon, '43; Color Guard, '44; Baseball, '45.

"Happy go lucky" best describes Al. To him life is just a bowl of cherries. Our handsomest member, we feel sure Al will have a host of female admirers. An athlete and a Captain in the "batty" make him as an all-around fellow. May success follow him always.



HARRIS NEWMAN (Harry)

Course: General and Pipe Fitting

Honors: Glee Club, S-1 to S-2; Band 1-2 to J-1; Activities Night, '44; Basketball referee, S-1; Dramatic Club; Cast: A Christmas Carol; A Night in an Inn, '45; Athletic Member, S-2.

Harry, with his good looks, was very popular with us and with the girls. A potential athlete, he just missed making the varsity teams. Nevertheless he is one of the class' outstanding athletes, and we all feel sure that some day Harry will shine in the baseball world. So long and good luck, Harry.



HAROLD L. NEWTON (Teut)

Course: General and Foundry

Honors: Gym Team, '43, '45; Captain, Gym Team, '44; Glee Club, J-2 to S-2; Lieutenant in Battalion, S-2.

"Toot," a top-notch gymnast, captained the team in his final term. As a lieutenant in the "batty," he proved himself a good leader. Always friendly, he is a fellow worth knowing. A hard worker, we know "Toot" can do nothing but succeed.



ROBERT PACITTI (Bob)

Course: Regular and Carpentry

Honors: Orchestra, 1-1 to S-2; Student Leader of Orchestra, S-2; Glee Club, J-2 to S-2; Dramatic Club, J-1 to S-2; Harmony Club.

You can't mention dancing without talking about Bob because that was his dish. He could eat, sleep, and drink jitterbugging. Popular with the girls, he was in and out of love at least twice a week. The girl he does marry will be fortunate. A habitual ch' mist, Bob is a swell fellow.

WARREN J. PELLICIOTTI (Pel)

Course: General and Machine Shop

Honors: Cheer Leader, '44, '45; Band 7A to S-1; Orchestra, J-2 to S-1; Corporal in Band, S-1; Glee Club, S-1 to S-2; Treasurer of Class, S-1; Dramatic Club, J-1 to S-2; Carts: Three Marines on Guadalcanal, Little Father of the Wilderness, Christmas Carol, The Lion's Whelp; Harmony Club; WFL Broadcast; Science Is Fun; Guidon in Battalion, S-2; Cultural Olympics, '45.

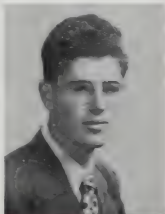
The atmosphere was always scintillating with "Pel's" presence. His sense of humor delighted all who were fortunate enough to hear him imitate others or crack a joke. A superb actor, "Pel's" performances on the stage made him envied.

JAMES NICHOLAS PETTIA (Jim)

Course: Regular and Stenography

Honors: Band 7A to S-2; Orchestra, S-2; Glee Club, S-1 to S-2; Sergeant in Band, S-2; Basketball, '43, '44, '45; Baseball, '43, '44.

A serious-minded fellow, Jim is also very popular. We shall remember the conscientious efforts he always put forth for the class. Thinking always of us, he did everything he could for our betterment. Activity in athletics and music also distinguished Jim.



SAMUEL FINLEY PHILLIPS (Jed)

Course: Regular and Pattern Making

Honors: Glee Club, J-2 to S-2; Lieutenant in Battalion, S-1 to S-2; Soccer '44; Second Team, All-Scholastic Soccer, '44; Echelon Platoon, '44.

Jed's a great wit. Whether displaying his ability on the soccer field or leading his platoon in the "batty", his aimiable nature made everybody happy. We can never forget Jed because he was the sincere pal of the class.



VINCENT GEORGE POHORILLA (Vince)

Course: General and Carpentry

Honors: Echelon Platoon, '44; Palmer Method Business Writing Certificate, J-1.

Vince is quiet but he is a true friend. Possessing a sense of humor, which became him, often led others to laugh with him. We all feel sure that Vince will succeed in whatever he undertakes.



VINCENT CARMEN RICCI (Vince)

Course: Regular and Electricity

Honors: Band 7A to S-2; Captain of Band, S-2; Orchestra, J-2 to S-2; Glee Club, J-2 to S-2; Swing Band, S-1; Conference Committee, S-1; Dramatic Club, J-1 to S-2; Activities Night, '43; Cast: The Rising of the Moon; Cultural Olympics, '44.

The skillful man with the horn; that's Vince. Besides being a talented and a first rate electrician, Rich was a great pal. His cheerful manner and ability to crack good jokes made him one of the class' wittiest members.



COSTANZO STANLEY ROBERTO (Gus)

Course: General and Printing

Honors: Sergeant, Guidon in Battalion, S-2.

Gus was always the life of the party with his smile and wisecracks. No matter what the occasion was, he could always manage to brighten things up. Gus was another who did everything to make the class a better one; for that thanks a million.



PAUL EDWARD RYDER (Tex)

*Course: Regular and Mechanical Drawing
Honors: Girard News, 2-2 to S-2; News Editor, S-1; Feature Editor, S-2; Echelon Platoon, '44; First-Sergeant in Battalion, S-2; Student Council; Vice President of Class, J-2; Treasurer, Student Council, S-2.*

Anyone that knew "Tex" was aware of quality. Another rabid West Point fan, he's an authority on the Academy. His ability as a leader was recognized in the class' administration. We're glad to toast a swell classmate.



GERALD THEODORE SAJEWSKI (Cy)

*Course: Regular and Mechanical Drawing
Honors: Glee Club, J-2 to S-2; Echelon Platoon, '44; Sergeant in Battalion, J-2 to S-2; National Honor Society, S-1 to S-2; Athletic Member, S-1; Sportsmanship Award, 1-1.*

Scholar, athlete, leader, pleasing personality—that's "Cy." Whether he was on the athletic field or in a classroom, Jerry's ability to keep a level head was obvious. Lots of luck to one of June '45's outstanding members.

SIDNEY SALKIND (Sid)

*Course: General and Machine Shop
Honors: Echelon Platoon, '43; Captain in Battalion, S-1 to S-2; Fencing, '43, '44, '45; Captain of Fencing Team, S-2; Dramatic Club, '45; Activities Night, '44; Cast; The Story of Electricity; Glee Club, J-2 to S-2; Harmony Club.*

Sid is another wolf who courted and charmed them. Oh, boy! Our best dresser, he really registered with his many admirers. His leadership in the batty must not be overlooked, as the job he did always received favorable comment. The best to you, Sid.

HARVEY PAUL SELWITZ (Harve)

STUDENT COUNCIL PRESIDENT

*Courses Regular and Electricity
Honors: Student Council, J-2 to S-2; Secretary, J-2; Vice President, S-1; President, S-2; Lieutenant in Battalion, S-2; Managing Editor, Girard News, S-2; Conference Committee, S-1; Harmony Club; Contributing Editor, Girard Magazine, S-1; CORINTHIAN staff; Steel and Garnet staff, '45.*

Harve is one of our most valuable assets. It is very rare to find a boy with his superb personality, wit, and good looks. He has a natural gift of getting along with everybody. We all love him, and so does everybody else. Not to be overlooked is his ability as a leader in his class affairs and as President of the Student Council. We feel confident that he will go far; we'll never forget this face we have admired so many times.



MARSHAL ELWOOD SHUMAN (Marsh)

Course: Regular and Machine Shop

Honors: Star Scout; Lieutenant in Battalion, S-2; Echelon Platoon, '44; Contributor, Brothers of Girard, J-2.

Marsh is a fellow who stood out because of his ability to put his utmost effort into his work. Dependable, he was very helpful in making our class social a success. Not exactly anti-women Marsh managed to acquaint himself with a few girls anyhow. Lots of luck, Marsh.



JOSEPH SILVER (Yash)

Course: Regular and Electricity

Honors: Student Council, J-1; Lieutenant in Battalion, S-2; Band 7A to 1-2; Dramatic Club, J-2 to S-1; Cast: Three Marines on Guadalcanal; Firing Squad, '45; Track, '43, '44, '45; Co-Captain, Track, S-2.

"Yash" was very rarely seen exhibiting that friendly smile of his. Being friendly to everyone made him a regular "bummer." His ability on the track might have been recognized more had he developed sooner. We're going to miss his genuine sincerity and a fine classmate.



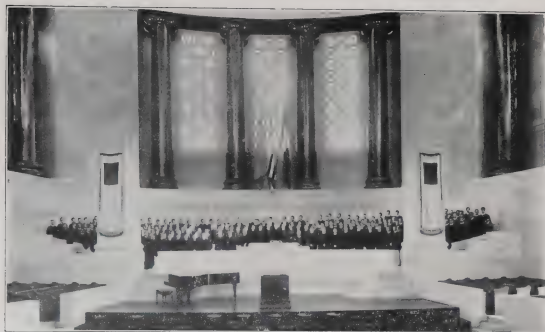
THOMAS KEEN SIMPSON (Tom)

Course: Regular and Mechanical Drawing

Honors: Orchestra, S-2; Lieutenant in Orchestra, S-2; Junior Life Saving Certificate; Swing Band, J-2 to S-2; Swimming, '42, '43, '44, '45; Captain of Swimming Team, '45.

Tom was very quiet, but what words he did speak were well chosen and persuasive. His silence often brought out his attractive personality. A fine swimmer, Tom was at ease in taking first place in some backstroke event. Good luck to a fine fellow!





Glee Club

Strongly represented by twenty-three vocalists of our class, the Glee Club passed through a most successful term under the baton of Mr. Banks.

In the tenor section, one of the best in many years, were Boden, Burke, Frantz, Gillen, Jones, Panaro, Sajewski, and Salkind. With Baker, Connell, DiPasquale, Hipple, Kuhn, Marchese, McGinty, Newman, Newton, Pacitti, Pellicciotti, Pettia, Phillips, Ricci, and S'ano, the basses sang equally well.

Much cred't is due to our student officers, President Siano and Vice-President Salkind, for their fine leadership. Also recognition should be shown to Secretary Hipple and to Ray Frantz, the Librarian, for capably discharging their respective duties.

To Mr. Banks goes our heartfelt thanks for his splendid directing, and for further instilling in our minds the finer qualities of music. We are also grate-



ful to Miss Stacks, our accompanist, for her fine playing.

As we leave, we still recall the strains of *Hallelujah, O Turn Thee, and Incline Thine Ear* ringing in our ears, bringing back sweet remembrances of the past.

Music fills our hearts and souls
As we sing anthems free and bold,
Climbing daily nearer our goals,
Of happiness and joys still untold.



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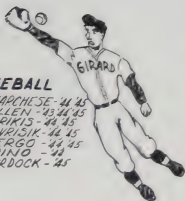


SOCCER

MARCHESE - '44
GILLEN - '43, '44
EIRIKIS - '44
HARRISIK - '44
PHILLIPS - '44
MURDOCK - '44
SIANO - '44

BASEBALL

MARCHESE - '44, '45
GILLEN - '43, '44, '45
EIRIKIS - '44, '45
HARRISIK - '44, '45
MERGO - '44, '45
BEING - '44
MURDOCK - '45



BASKETBALL

GILLEN - '44, '45
GILMORE - '45
MARCHESE - '45
BOEFINGER - '44, '45



REFEREES and CHEER LEADERS

GILMORE - '44
KATZMAN - '44
PELLICCIOTTI - '44
KULICK - '44
KUHN - '44
NEWMAN - '44
HEINEMAN - '44



FENCING

GREEN - '44
SALKIND - '44

TRACK

BOEFINGER - '45
PANARO - '45
HIDDLE - '45
SILVER - '45
MCKNIFF - '45
CAMBERS - '45



SWIMMING

SIMPSON - '43, '44
KOZAIN - '44
HARRIS - '44
CONNELL - '44



GYM

MCKNIFF - '43, '44
NEWTOWN - '43, '44



Athletes of June '45

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WINTER SPORTS
AT GIRARD



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TIME



RAIN OR SHINE*
STUDY HALL
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FINAL EXAMS



WISDOM TOOTH
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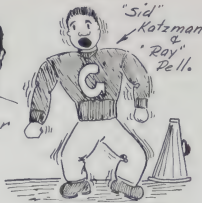
REMINISCING



"Har" Boden



"YASH" Silver



"Sid" Katzman & "Ray" Pell.



"George" Gilen & his romance

"I got the power but I just can't connect" - Boker



our only cave man ?



our Ham



Dental Clinic



JED WARMED JOE

YASH HAR COUNT



BACS



Mark Marchese Al Dieterle



Red Schwitz



Pool sharks



Frankie Siano



Fritz

"I'm not FAT!"



- Sally
- Joni
- Keri
- Eddy
- Jack

- Doris
- Betty
- Jeanne
- Stella
- Dot



when "Moe" Green, our mad chemist, makes gas. "Chick" Haversik.

Allen Hall

Living our last five glorious months at Girard in Allen Hall presented a series of experiences we shall cherish forever. When we have our annual "bull sessions" on Founder's Days, we shall undoubtedly recall with vivid memory the pleasures enjoyed in Allen Hall. Those memories will last longer because the opportunity to reside in "All" was worked for during ten long years and finally achieved in blazing triumph.

During this final term we were on our own most of the time, and we lived with all the joys of being at home. Allen is a very suitable substitute for home; in fact, more so than any other way of living found in Girard. All those at-home feelings develop the extra polish so necessary for a successful social life in the outside world. We were changed from tactless, self-conscious youngsters into a fine group of socially-minded citizens. However, this was not a miracle which occurred because someone wished it to happen. On the contrary, it is a goal reached successfully only with the patient and helpful advice of our Allen parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Zarella. They are responsible for the final achievement in that miraculous scheme of education offered by Girard College.

Before our last one hundred and fifty days here had elapsed, the sketchy friend-

ships among us became solid ones. Our years of scattered living together were left behind. Allen presents a new and ideal social life to everybody.

"Here, have another cake!" These words arouse familiar memories; they remind us of the tasty goodies made by Mrs. Z, and those interesting Monday evening talks with Mr. and Mrs. Z.

Escorting that "one and only" to the popular house parties was another joy for us all. Mr. and Mrs. Z deserve our wholehearted appreciation for the time they spent in preparing those successful Saturday evening socials.

We have only one regret concerning our Allen life and that is the limited time we had to spend with Mrs. Z, who also served as a substitute nurse.

Our gratitude is also extended to Mr. James D. White for the time he spent as Mr. Z's assistant. Mr. White an "ex-hummer," was a very helpful adviser to turn to when we were in need. We should like to express our heartfelt appreciation to all three for

Valuable gifts they gave us;

Their unselfish patience and helpful advice

Without which we could not have won

That last long lap of our Marathon.





KENNETH OLIN STEELE

1927—1944

Fast as the rolling seasons bring
The hour of fate to those we love,
Each pearl that leaves the broken string
Is set in Friendship's crown above.
As narrower grows the earthly chain,
The circle widens in the sky,
These are our treasures that remain
But those are stars that beam on high.

—O. W. Holmes



Forty or fifty years from now some of us are bound to meet again. Our thoughts will invariably go back to the present decade which we can never forget. Our conversation will range from memories of West End to those of Allen Hall, from athletics to studies. Of a certainty we shall linger longer on socials, and by looking ahead a half-century we can picture this conversation as we reminisce.

There was the Freshman "Hop." Assuredly, none of the fairer sex was present, but in our "longies" and knickers we tasted of the social world for the first time. We saw the value of socials in promoting unity in the class for we acted as a whole for the first time.

By the time the "famous" J-1 dance rolled around on December 10, 1943, we were a better class. Knowing that we should get our turn, we took the kidding from the "veterans" staunchly, determined to make this the best first dance ever held. With almost fifty couples present and beautiful Christmas decorations, we probably did. "Red" Selwitz with his Roxborough "deb" took the Elimination Dance—it seems there were plenty of Roxborough belles around. Then there was Gene—a laugh here.

By April 20, 1944, we were ready for our next "hop." Didn't "Hubie" have a

hard time with all those girls chasing him? Amid the glory of Mr. Baker's colorfully fantastic decorations, Joe DiPasquale walked off with the prize, and gave us an exhibition of some smooth dancing. Then we noticed "Pel," Bob Pacitti, and others whose techniques were as smooth as the "best of 'em."

The S-1 dance came next. With a summer of experience behind us, we were truly high in the social world of "Old G.C." We think of the suavity of "Count," or our best dresser, Sid Salkind, or of Jim Pettia with his line. "Chick" Havrisik was the lucky winner of the coveted Elimination Prize this time; and was he beaming!

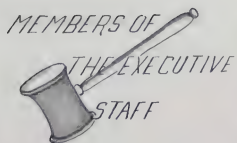
Then Allen Hall, and on March 9, 1945, our S-2 dance. The number of "steadies" had now greatly increased—Jack, Sam, Joe, George, Al, Sid, Count, and Ken. Even without the Swing Band, this was an enjoyable dance. There was that "man-about-the-dance-floor," Sid Katzman, and Mark, naturally impressive. "Marsh" Shuman with a little bit of a lot of Frankford present, won the Elimination Dance. By the way, who said Tom didn't get around?

All too soon that dreamy night of June 15, 1945 came and our Casanovas gathered for the last time at the Commencement Dance. Our "rug-cutters" and "ball-roomers" displayed their skill for the last time, and then went home to say, "Good-bye," in the moonlight.





On With the Dance !



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Our class has had one of the largest representations in the National Honor Society in the short history of this organization. This was chiefly due to the fact that four of our members were selected in their Junior year: "Casey" Jones, Don Panaro, Tom Howell, and Jack Harris. In the Senior-one term three others, Al Dieterle, Bill Bofinger, and "Cy" Sajewski gained this honor. In the final selections from S-2 Denny Mergo and Norm Connell were chosen.

Tom Howell was elected President of the Girard Chapter; and also served as President of the Philadelphia Regional Council. Al Dieterle was the Vice-President, and Don Panaro filled the position of Secretary in the final term.

With the help of Dr. and Mrs. McIlhatten, Mr. and Mrs. Zarella, and Miss McGhee, the Society became very active and held high laurels of Girard among the other schools in this district.

DRAMATIC CLUB

"I heard old Pete Cartwright was in these parts." These words, spoken by Sid Katzman in the play *Prologue to Glory* marked the beginning of our class' brilliant participation in the Dramatic Club work.

Following up his first part, Sid with Al Dieterle, Gene Franciosa, and Ralph Siano did a fine job in *Three Marines on Guadalcanal*. *At the Mule* was the next play in which our class was represented, by Sid Katzman, Ralph Siano, and Har Boden. *Little Fubber of the Wilderness*, with Warren Pellicciotti and Al Dieterle; *In the Zone*, with Ralph Siano and Sid Katzman; *The Rising of the Moon*, with Hubie Gilmore; and *The Christmas Carol*, starring Al Dieterle, Sid Katzman, Harry Newman, and Warren Pellicciotti followed quickly as fine pieces of acting by members of our class.

The three one-act spring plays were *The Lion's Whelp*, starring Hubie Gilmore and Warren Pellicciotti; *Op O' Me Thumb* with Sid Katzman; and *A Night in an Inn* with Ralph Siano, Al Dieterle, Sid Salkind, and Harry Newman.

Sidney Katzman, as President; Al Dieterle, as Vice-President; and Hubie Gilmore, as Secretary of the Dramatic Club, led the Club through one of its finest term's work.

EXECUTIVE STAFF

Our last term as students in Girard could not have been successful without the untiring efforts of our leaders. We finished our long ten years under the capable leadership of President "Count" Siano and his most efficient staff. As President in S-1 and Vice-President in S-2, Joe Marchese performed his job extremely well. Holding the position of Secretary, "Casey" Jones never failed to act on the class' wishes. Don Panaro, Treasurer, could always be counted on as a leader when the going was tough.

In the capacity of Student Council President, Harvey Selwitz performed his tasks exceedingly well. Harry Newman was our able Athletic Council member, and Al Dieterle, our Conference Committee member, also served his office well. Tom, Howell, President of the National Honor Society, showed the school what an excellent leader he could be by setting a fine example for others to follow.



BAND AND ORCHESTRA

Able assisting Captain Vince Ricci were First Lieutenant Norm Connell and Second Lieutenant Bob Burke. In the ranks as Sergeants Don Baker, Bob Jones, and Jim Petria performed a marvelous job. Strutting in front of the Band was Hubie Gilmore, who has done a fine job as Drum Major for three consecutive terms.

In the more conservative musical ranks, Student Leader Bob Pacitti of the orchestra directed that group through a successful term. Under Bob, First Lieutenant Tom Simpson and Second Lieutenant Har Boden served as assistants.

The fellows of the musical organizations wish to thank Mr. Frey for the time he so willingly and patiently spent in teaching them the fundamentals of music. He and his staff will remain in our memories long after others have been forgotten because, under his instruction, we learned to appreciate a fine type of entertainment.

ENGLISH CLUBS

During our last year at Girard the Class' literary talent really blossomed forth into full bloom. With Tom Howell serving as Editor-In-Chief of the *News* throughout his entire Senior year, and "Casey" Jones and Andy Arnold as Co-Editors of the *Magazine* in their last term, we proved that school publications could be made extremely interesting.

Harvey Selwitz took a load off Tom's shoulders as Managing Editor, as did Feature Editor Paul Ryder. "Casey" Jones and Don Panaro gave the sports page a professional touch, while Pat McGinty reported the *News* and Jack Harris handled the Service Column.

Under the able leadership of the Co-Editors of the Magazine, "Casey" Jones and Andy Arnold, assisted by Glen Hipple, Har Boden, and Don Panaro, this publication rocketed into student popularity.

Professor Foust and Mr. MacGregor deserve grateful appreciation as Faculty Advisers. Their increasing demands for perfection made the publications successful.

By the way, do you like the CORINTHIAN? In our crowning achievement we thank all who helped us so generously.

BATTALION

On the numerous parades of the Battalion up the Main Road, our class accounted for fourteen of the twenty-one of the commissioned officers in the Companies and on the Staff. Al Dieterle led our class in the Batty as Captain Adjutant.

Following the Staff, Al Murdock captained Company C with Johnny Kulick as his first Lieutenant and Don Panaro, his second Lieutenant. Leading Company D was Sid Salkind, assisted by first Lieutenant Sam Phillips and Second Lieutenant Marsh Shuman. George Gillen carried the flag, and Joe Marchese was Sergeant Quartermaster in the Color Guard. In third place, Joe Gerrity as First Lieutenant and Count Siano and Harvey Selwitz as Second Lieutenants of Company B did their best to make their unit a good one. Bringing up the rear was Captain George Heineman with Second Lieutenants Bill Bofinger and Tute Newton.

George Lisowski as Captain of the Recruits turned out one of the best batch in recent years. He was assisted ably by First Lieutenants Joe Silver and Jack Harris and by Second Lieutenants Andy Arnold and Pat McGinty.

As we leave the Girard College Cadet Corps, we shall always remember the spirit of Lieutenant-Colonel James M. Hamilton, who gave us the inspiration to begin our military careers early.

FAREWELL SONG

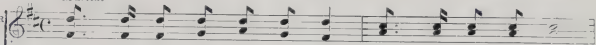
GIRARD COLLEGE

HENRY HANBY HAY

Martial

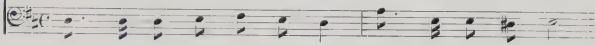
a'BECKET-BANKS

TENOR
1 & 2



1. Six - teen hun - dred look - ing on, We are in the van;
2. We shall miss the dai - ly round, Vic - to - ry at ball;
3. Six - teen hun - dred look - ing on, Fol - low, fol - low hard,

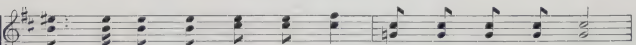
BASS



We have run our mar - a - thon From child to grow - ing man.
Miss the gay par - ade, and miss Class - mates most of all.
Fight the game, in - crease her fame, Good - bye to old Gir - ard.



Out be - yond the o - pen gate Lights of prom - ise glow,
On - ly love il - lumes the years, Broth - ers, pass it on,
There's a world of worth be - yond, Sol - diers must not lag,

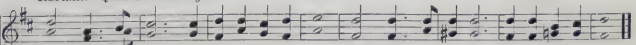


You, who cheer'd us when we came, Bless us ere we go.
Light the torch and spread the flame 'Till the years be gone.
Where good for - tune waits for us, 'Neath the star - ry flag.

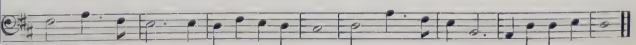


REFRAIN *Quiet and tenderly*

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Fare - well! Fare - well! Dear tem - ple on the hill; We'll not for - get you Till our hearts be still.

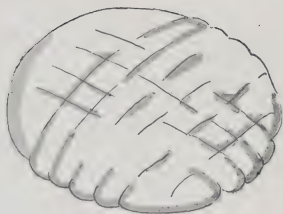


Melody in Bass.



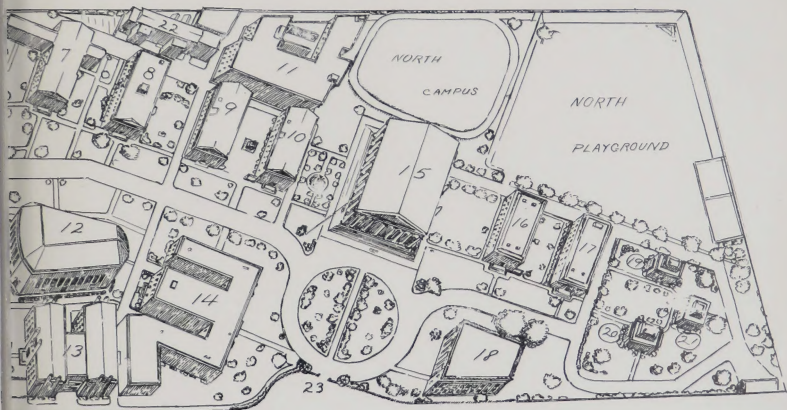
SUNSET ON FOUNDER'S HALL

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Map of Girard College

Central and East End



KEY:

- 7. Infirmary
- 8. Banker Hall
- 9. Merchant Hall
- 10. Mariner Hall
- 1. Dining and Service Building
- 2. Chapel

- 13. Middle School
- 14. High School
- 15. Founder's Hall
- 16. Bordeaux Hall
- 17. Allen Hall
- 18. Library

- 19. Mr. Davis' residence
- 20. Dr. Odgers' residence
- 21. Mr. Sparks' residence
- 22. Bakery, Laundry, and Shoe Shop
- 23. Main Entrance

